

## 42 C.F.R. § 84.79

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### Breathing gas; minimum requirements.

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- (a) Breathing gas used to supply apparatus shall be respirable and contain no less than 19.5 (dry atmosphere) volume percent of oxygen.
- (b) Oxygen, including liquid oxygen, shall contain not less than 99.0 percent, by volume, of pure O<sub>2</sub>, not more than 0.03%, by volume, carbon dioxide, and not more than 0.001%, by volume, carbon monoxide. Methods for making these determinations can be found in the U.S. Pharmacopeia National Formulary. Containers used for oxygen must not be treated with any toxic, sleep-inducing, narcosis-producing, or respiratory tract irritating compounds.

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